

Gas and Electric Orders - Issued 1999

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY FOR APPROVAL
OF REVISIONS TO SAMPLE FORM TARIFFS**

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**ORDER APPROVING SAMPLE
FORM TARIFFS**

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On February 9, 1999, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received an application from MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) requesting approval for its proposed bill format changes. This matter was discussed at a Commission meeting on March 25, 1999. The Commissioner deferred the matter. MidAmerican withdrew the original filing by letter dated July 28, 1999, and submitted updated sample bill forms. Staff submitted a data request on August 2, 1999, to which MidAmerican filed its response on October 8 and 12, 1999. MidAmerican requested that the proposed tariff changes be made effective August 31, 1999. The revised tariffs are as follows:

SDPUC Electric Tariff No. I
Section No. 6

2nd Revised Sheet No. 1 Canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. 1
1st Revised Sheet No. 1A Canceling Original Sheet No. 1A
2nd Revised Sheet No. 2 Canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. 2
1st Revised Sheet No. 3 Canceling Original Sheet No. 3
2nd Revised Sheet No. 4 Canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. 4
Original Sheet No. 4.10

SDPUC Gas Sales Tariff
Section No. VI

Second Revised Sheet No. 2 Cancels First Revised Sheet No. 2
Second Revised Sheet No. 3 Cancels First Revised Sheet No. 3
Second Revised Sheet No. 5 Cancels First Revised Sheet No. 5
Original issue Sheet No. 5.10

A regularly scheduled meeting of October 19, 1999, the Commission discussed final approval of the application. Commission Staff recommended approval of the bill format tariff sheets effective November 12, 1999.

The Commission finds that it has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapter 49-34A, specifically, 49-34A-2, 49-34A-4, 49-34A-6, 49-34A-8, and 49-34A-10 and ARSD 20:10:17:03. The Commission finds the bill format changes to the customers' bills are just and reasonable and approved the changes. Further, the Commission finds that the revisions to the tariff are just and reasonable and shall be approved. It is therefore

ORDERED that the above-referenced revised tariff schedules are approved and are effective for service rendered on and after November 12, 1999.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 29th day of October, 1999.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE	BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:
The undersigned hereby certifies that this	_____

document has been served today upon all parties of record in this docket, as listed on the docket service list, by facsimile or by first class mail, in properly addressed envelopes, with charges prepaid thereon.

By: _____

Date: _____

(OFFICIAL SEAL)

JAMES A. BURG, Chairman

PAM NELSON, Commissioner

LASKA SCHOENFELDER, Commissioner

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